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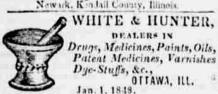
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Carriage & Wagon Manufactory. beral patronage heretofore bestowed, and having associated with himself J. G. GAY, he would now state that they are are agenced togetry on the CARRIAGE & WAGON MAKING

business in all its various branches. Our stock of Lumber is well seasoned, and we are deterined to make the best work that is made in Office with Henry Hurbart. Ear, in the court home, the country. Two house wagonskept constantion of demands, &c. in a 449 with the carriage for the market to call and examine for the market to call and examine for the market to call and examine the following the formal to call and examine for the market to call and examine the following Is an hand. All who wish to purchase are in-sited to call and examine for themselves before curchasing elsewhere. Suop on the corner of was often visited by wild bears—for sever- same moment, and saw her peril, but could thoumbus and Jefferson streets. Lumbertaken al sheep had been destroyed in the night, not fire to advantage. Belcher bounded up in exchange for finished work. Ottawa, feb 11, 1848. WM, PALMER, J. G. GAY.

To the Public.

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THE above Factory will be carried on as usual, by D. Griers, notworkstanding the fatal epidemic which has carried off three of the Green family, and hops to receive as heretofore a liberal share of pulle patronage. We would here tender our thanks to our friends and patrons, and hope by strict arrention and liberal bargains (in the way of exchanges) to contin to merit your generous confidence Dayton, III , April 13, 1819 J & D. Grixes N. B.—The Flouring Mills of John Green with control on as beretotore by D. G.

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Middleboro, Mass, are prepared to farmed country dealers, etc., with all kinds of Boots and Shoes by

estate or done it, on this most reasonable terms, at a store, 172 Late Street, Calcus. 50,7-7.

Marble and Stone Yard. D. Ottawa and surrounding country that he as established himself in the above business in Onaws, on Columbus st, directly opposite Geo. West's livery stable, where he will be able to furmy other article in his line of business.

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Oitawa, Sept. 17, 1847.

Attorneys at Law, Owego, Kendall co. Ill. Restronge extended to them, and would state On a bright afternoon, it had been the Will practice Law in the countries of Kendall, that they have removed to the north side of the custom offentimes to wander away together to be sheriff of this country, I was in Mobile, self to apply a remedy. To sell and make City Hotel, to the building adjoining the house in the woods, or to the margin of the river, and one day I saw a crowd moving out to us slaves to the Spaniards is a grievance not Land agency or collecting business entrusted to lately occupied by John McCarty. They have Fanny was a dear lover of the pictures que, wards the Orange Grove; I joined in and to be borne. The preliminary act which

Fall and Winter Fashions. to make up garments in the most tashonalde feature, some brighter spot in nature, than one hundred forfeit.

Cholera Medicine, Orleans.

DIRECTIONS for taking the medicine - One of the pills to be taken every ten or fifteen minutes until diarrhera crases. Generally, when the Physicians and Surgeons.

Office the same as formerly accupied by Dr. Howland; where one or the other of the firm will weak brandy toddes, and then take another dose. For the pain and cramps,

Take from one to two tenspoonfelts of the mixtu as the case may require, apply mustard plaster the stomach and bowels; keep up constant factor move the bowels; for fever treat as usual in fevers At the first symptom the patient should go to bed by This medicine is prepared and soul by Wurre & Henren, and G. L. Thoweson, Druggists, Ottamay 25.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE mg see 21 town 33 n range 1 east; nwg see 30 town 33 n range 2 e; wh swq see 30 t 33 n r 2 e. These lands embrace some of the most valuable coul banks in the caunty. good water, timber, prairie, and a form of 60 ac with ordinary improvements. Terms easy. Ap to Joseph Rezondia near the premises or to the se senter at Ottawa, ap27. W. H. L. WALLACE.

Great Sale of Timber Land. THE and reigned will offer for sale at public auc-tion, at the deoret the court house in Ottawa, at 200 Acres of Land. Said land is situated on see 16, town 33, n r 5 east 31 p.m., and will be surveyed into small tracts (say from 5 to 20 agres, according to quality). This will probably be one of the best capportunities that persons residing between Marseilles and Holderman's Grove will ever have of purchasing timber for farming purposes. Also, the east half of n west quarter see 28, town 31, n r 4 e 34 p. m., situated near Green's dam at Dayton, to be sold in 20 acre times. The purchasers of the above tracts will be required to pay one fittin down, and the balance in five equal at n and instalments, and to sective the payment thereof by bond and mortgage on the property sold, at 8 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually in advance. By order of the board of Trustees of schools in Town 33, N. R. 5 F. 31 P. M. May 10, 1849. G. W. JACKSON, Treasurer. 200 Acres of Land. Said land is situated on see 16

May 10, 1819 G. W. JACKSON, Treasurer. To Master's of Canal Boats.

Making Canal Roats.

And stars some and the collection of tells him, even the five at Otawa for the collection of tells with the feath of and Regulations of said board of Trustees, every master of about of float and property of the conveyance of property of the conveyance of

A Story of Pioncer Life.

BY LUCY LINWOOD.

abroad might readily find enough of the stantly upon his trail, for the will shrick

a wild but levely spot in the Valley, and the ascent upon the defenteless children. WM. PALMER returns his creasmall but comfortable log but had been and growled, as it gazed upon the horror thanks to the public for their fiverected beneath the shadow of the forest's struck girl, who dared not to flee, well as the control of the creation of the creatio but a few weeks elapsed after their arrival,

Farmer Holland, an 'eastern man,' also, ed panther, who for an instant stood over where Grave's family had remained during the prostrate dog in triumph. the erection of their cabin, and the house Down? shouted the young marksman was full a mile distant to the westward.

of young Wallace, could not be found in the State. His father was one of the original land's merring rifle. buckeye' pinneers and Wallace had seen and encountered all the rude treatment and every day hardships incident to a twenty years residence in the back woods.

But his arm was a practiced one-he had quered him -- he had grappled with the fiery wolf and the huge bear of that region, and destroyed them-he had been accustomed to danger and peril, and toil, from his infancy-and he was well acquainted with the turmoils and troubles of a hie in the West. His old rifle and his dog were his constant companions, and Wallace never ventured into the forest without one or both of them. The stay of Panny Gray at the cabin of his father, though brief, had a queer effect upon Wallace. He had rarely met with women in that lonely country, and the' he could not account for it after she left the temporarily, he had a strange and longing desire to visit her fother's cabin.
There was daily something he could do for

some handiwork he could perform, some help he could render to the novice in the woods, which he deemed would prove the capitol, and was introduced to the Sec-A. B. SMITH

Has recently established himself in Ottawn on the morth side of the public square, where he will promptly aftend to all calls in his line of business. Fashions received regularly. All work sides a specific property of the capitol, and novelties which she never dreamt of siness. Fashions received regularly. All work sides a specific property of the capitol, and was introduced to the Section, and was introduced to the Section and the reshions received regularly. All work in the vicinity; he played with her brother Jesse is our crack tale-teller, and many cussed by almost every person. The late alone were sufficient to command the atterexecuted in his shop is warranted. Cutting done frank—whom she dearly loved—in short, and make the boys had from laughing commercial treaty with Spain, in shutting the found occasion to pass a great deal of at his Nubbin Ridge and Sourwood stories. many good offices for the father,

On a bright afternoon, it had been their PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, may be found in his office back of the telegraph office, in Ottawa, life, where reference can be seen as to skill and practice in 15-16.

Outwa, Sep 28, 1848.

In the most fashonable style, work will be done in the best manner, and all garments made to fit.

Outwa, Sep 28, 1848.

Outwa, Sep 28, 1848. and gratify her fondness for the sublime and was turned loose at the bear, and after one an insult upon our understanding. We Approved by the Medical Faculty of New brother-though she had often been cantion-

her roaming. elapsed since Roger Grey came to reside darned if Cash can't take that bar.' in the spot where he had now located himself, and as the day was fine. Fanny ven- ner of the bear. tured forth, rather later in the afternoon than was her wont, and with her brother distant, a favorite haunt of hers, latterly, formed. and quite within the bounds of her parents the smoke which curled from the chimney of her father's but. With a light step and a merry heart, she hastened to the wood close by, and in a few minutes the children unmuzzled, the word was given. were out of sight.

dwelling. 'Come in,' said Roger, kindly. Not now, please you.'

Why not? 'Nothing. Where is Miss Fanny ?" She has just gone out flower-hunting."

to sit weedten. "What's the matter Wallace?" side of the hill, you remember, there is a self to the formus blows of the animal. narrow eleft between the two rocks which

'Yes, I recollect a sort of a cave.' 'So it seems, though I never knew it before.

"Well what of the cleft, Wallace?" 'Nothing, sir, particular. That is, you good many years, and I know a panther when I see hum.' 'A what?' exclaimed Gray, starting to

A crispy Autumnal air had begun to color My God-what is that!" exclaimed Ro- we'll try the case," the foliage of the forests, and the green leaves were but sparely scattered upon the boughs of the trees. A myriad of gay hues decked the woods, but the atmosphere was decked the woods, but the atmosphere was not chilled except and contained to have a spell back? said our man, and chilled except at the said of the sa raw and chilley, except at noon day, and the forest, followed by Belcher close at his yet the lover of nature who chanced to be heels. The terror stricken father was in-

loveliness of the scene where our sketch the girl at the top of her longs, and sister the over-joyed native; and the last I saw Fanny, help! yelled the boy as he clung in of him, he and Cash were eating gauger to the Spanish merchants at Port St. Vinwings by the grateful rose. And the kind
desperate fright to her dress-for as they cakes at the market house.— West Alabam- cent and Illinois, and are determined they breeze was glad in her heart, and went tlemant of consequence had been made in approaced the favorite spot on which the ian-Ohio, that a family went from New York gentle girl had delighted to rest, there e-State, to reside upon a branch of the great merged from the crevice of the rock, a luge Miumi; it consisted of the parents and two animal of the panther species, which nimbchildren, a son and a daughter—the eldest ly mounted the little hill-side, within thirfifteen, the other numbering less than halfa ty yards of the wanderers, and couching score of years. The land there selected was upon his belly, lay prepared to spring from

edge; and Roger Gray very soon cleared a knowing that such a course would be fatal; respectable patch about him, which he had and in her sad despair, she could only shrick sown with spring grain.

The region was a romatic vale, and far ever, was near her. But there was a quick ever, was near her. down to the southward, the river flowed by rustling in the undergrowth behind her, in majestic silence. The spot had been well though she heard it not, and in an instant chosen by Roger for agricultrial purposes, after, old Belcher passed them in hot haste. and the howl had been repeatedly heard, the side of the bluff, sprung up the beast, at a distance, in the lonely evenings. The but in a moment was disabled by a fierce nearest neighbor of the emigrant, was one chutch of the now enraged and disappoint-

again, and Fanny Gray exhausted with the Mr. Holland had but one child—a son, tright and excitement, sank spenthe ground, some twenty years of age; who had been A sharp ring echoed through the forest, and brought up literally 'in the woods,' but a the savace heast recled forward, and plunbraver heart or kinder disposition than that god headlong to the bise of the bloff, pierced through the brain by a bullet from Hol-The father heard the report-he sprang

wildly to the spot, and in another moment pressed his children frantically to his heart. They were safe-unbermed. Three years subsequent to this adventure, met wily red men in hostility, and had con- I chanced to be traveling down the Ohio

tle dwelling, an humble spot, tenanted by a youthful couple, who had been but recently married, and from their lip- I gathered the above facts. The occupants of that pretty dwelling were Wallace and Fanny, new Mr. and Mrs. Holland.

Jesse Bryan's Bear Fight.

whose circumstances unfortunately compet so richly his due, hem to live elsewhere, we would say, that The letter below is represented by the them to live elsewhere, we would say, that tial election to Mantgomery. On reaching Montgomery, Jesse went to it is deeply interesting:

time at Mr. Gray's where he performed One of his we will now give, premising that issippi for the term of twenty-five years, has or unexpected exhibition of spurs and but while he the gist of the tale consists in his rich mode given the western country a universal shock tons, he put a bold face on the matter, and

and in the towering, massive forests—by the rim of the gentle stream—abroad upon the come off between Jim Burgess' bull dog and not so barefaced and intelerable. To give or moving a muscle of his face. direct from New York, which will enable them billocks-she constantly met with some new a tame bear, for five hundred dollars aside, us the liberty of transporting our effects

> beautiful; until, at last, familiar with the round he stayed loose-nosor of talk could know from woful experience that it is in neighborhood, she would saunter away a- make him clinch again, and Burgess paid their power when once there, to take our fone, or in company only with her little the forfeit and drew off the dog.
> brother—though she had often been cautioned never to leave the cabin out of sight, in a tall raw-boned native from Chickasaha ken the summer past and confiscated. Those

> > . What will you bet of that?' said the ow- whole. Men of large property are often ru

drawing out the foot of an old stocking, he The Spaniards, from the amazing resources chinging on her arm, she trotted away to shelled out twenty dollars. The bear man of this river will be able to supply all their wards a small hill, some quarter of a mile covered the twenty and the ring was again own markets, at a much lower price than

Now, gentlemen,' said Chicasahav, 'I restrictions-for from its summit, which wishes to be understood as how, nobody more than about six years, and that in the she frequestly climbed she could always see goes inter this ring but me and Cash, an the midst of an inveterate enemy, and most of

Wallace made his appearance with ri- a prodent regard for his own interests, kept here ut twelve shillings per twi, beef in fle in hand, before the entrance of Cray's at a respectful distance; his bristles stand- proportion, and any quantity of Indian corn-

avoid the mound yonder-where she loves the latter could not possibly strike him, 'Not much,' continued the youth. I pass. Cash by main force dragged the bear half ket. Do you think to prevent emigration ed there yesterday evening, and at the east around the ring, without once exposing him from a barren country, impoverished with

master's cabin.

see. I've been through these grounds, a could not bring his arms to hear, could not not. Providence has designed it for some

'Twenty to start on, and twenty are forty beautiful to while way an hour in raptures, they heard came from his daughter's lips.

in gazing at the fading, but still gorgeous 'Help-father! Wallace, help!' screamed Good evening to you all, gentlemen,' sang

> From the Ohio Statesman Interesting

Historical Reminiscenses about the West. prices of a foreign power, who at any time norant of this country as Great British was ould debar its citizens of the right of using of America.

France, and its purchase by Mr. Jefferson, the neglect. y the treaty of April 30, 1804, was lopposwith much violence by the short-sighted difficians of that day. Had it remained in the possession of any foreign power, the west would have been stunted in its growth, river. On its bank, there stood a neat lit- gle which would have dyed the Mississippi ance at the muster. with a crimson bue.

To us at this day accustomed to talk and appearance, speak of the Mississippi river as our own, it is almost impossible to realize the situation of the country, and especially of the west, without it. The far seeing sagacity of Mr. Jefferson, perceived its advantages and notwithstanding the croaking of some and the dennuciation of others, closed with the offer Every man, weman, and child in Pick- of France, and for this act that great statesus co. knows Jess Bryan. And to those man has not received one fourth of the praise

authority of the Secretary of State for say. England. As a reminiscence of older time

down the river to New Orleans, and then be tiouer in a foud tone, As soon as the ring was formed, the dog subject to Spanish law and impositions, is was rejoicing in the ownership of 2 big bos who had permits from their governor, were But autumn came. Eight months had ny, stump-tail cur dog, sang out, Til be obliged to sell at a price he was pleased to name, or subject themselves to lose the ined by their policy. What benefit can you 'I'll go my pile,' said raw-bones, and on the Atlantic shores, receive from this act you possibly can.

Though this country has been settling no bar, an nobody aint got to speak ner teach the first adventurers tallen a prey to the merciless savages, and although the emigra-This was agreed to, and the bear being tion to this country is so very tapid that the internal market is very great, yet the quanere out of sight.

*Look out Cash; mind your eyes! - Watch titles of produce they yet have on hand are Scarcely had they disappeared, when him, Cash! cried raw bones, as Cash with immense, - Flour and pork are now selling ing up like the teeth of a harrow. As soon may be had at 9d, per bushel. Three times as Cash had taken a position a little in the quantity of tobacco and corn can be rai- asked the judge, in a loud voice at last. rear of his foe, and got of the range of his sed on an acre here than can be on the setpaws, his master shouted-Take him Cash! tlements on the east side of the mountains, With one bound, Cash seized the poor and with less cultivation. It is therefore rabrate by the root of basear, keeping his body iternal to suppose that in a few years the I only wanted to say that she had better side by side with that of his enemy, so that wast bodies of water in those rivers will labor under the immense weight of the prod-'Keep onten this ring, gentlemen,' cried use of this rich and fertile country, and the the owner of Cash. Bring him here, Cash' Spanish ships be unable to carry it to martaxes and loaded with debt to the most lux-'Shake him, Cash?' Again the brave uriant soil in the world? Vain is the thought dog shook his foe, until the bear's teeth fair and presumptions the supposition! You may ly chattered with pain and rage. Still Cash as well prevent the fishes from gathering on by keeping yard arm and yard arm with the a bank in the sea which affords them plenty war, was as safe as if he had been in his of nourishment. Shall the best part of the United States remain uncultivated, a nest The owner of the bear seeing Catthe bear of savages and heasts of prey? Certainly bear to see Cash bear the bear in such a nobler purposes. This is convincing to ev-You give it up,' said our man, 'Well then and pleasing prospects of this country.-

to four thousand. shall not trade up the river, provided they away singing through the trees.

will not let us trade down it.

The letter which follows is from the New cored by the United States, (if we need it) like a rich perfume, to bless and to cheer Haven Gazette of July 19, 1787, near sixty. our allegianae will be thrown off, and some che years ago. Within that time how great other power applied to. Great British the change. Then the mouth of the vast stands ready with open arms to receive and river which drained the entire Mississippi support us. They have already officered to valley, was owned by a foreign power, and open their resources to our supplies. When the produce of the west, in seeking a mar-once we were united to them, "farewell-2 in the prosperity and character of your new ket, had to pay duties, and its owners sub- long farewell to all your boasted greatness. ject to the petry annoyances of the officials. The Province of Canada, and the inhabitappointed by the Spanish authorities, and ants of these waters, of themselves in time hus was the entire west subject to the ca- will beable to conquer you. You are as ig-

The cession by Spain, of Louisiana to of some service; if not, blame yourself for

Dodging a Militia Fine.

BY THE YOUNG 'UN. In days gone by, when objectionable miand its vast resources would have been but litta laws were in force in Massachusetts, which a town receives and gives forth, are partially developed to this day. Without the customary draft was made in a country generally the abiding ones—they are abutithe possession of the month of the Mississ- town a few miles from Boston, and a notice iown a few miles from Boston, and a notice dantly fruitful of good or evil in its future experience. "Let the foundations of the western and southwestern states, would have remained a wilderness, for, although the property of the way was left at the boarding bouse of a wag wilderness, for, although the property of the way as the decree of the w have remained a wilderness, for, although whe possessed very little martial music in art might have sided in overcoming some his soul. Determined that he would neiof the evils, yet there were others that hu- ther train or pay a fine, and entertaining, man power could not overcome. Had En- withal, a very indifferent opinion of the utilgland gained Louisiana, and the eyes of her ity of the system, he took no notice of the statesmen were upon it and auxious for the summons. Having been duly warned howrich prize, which would have made Ameri- ever, as he anticipated, at the expiration of can commerce tributary to that power, she a few weeks the sergeant waited upon him would never have yielded it without a strug- with a bill of nine shiffings for non-attend-

'You're fined, sir-nine skillings-non

·What is it? asked the wag pretending to misunderstand the collector. 'Fine for not training!' bawled the other. 'Shan't pay it, fellow.'

'It will be three dollars next time I call. But the wag couldn't hear a word he said and in the course of another month he received a peremptory summons to appear forthwith at a court martial in the district. instituted for the purpose of trying delin bumble dwelling which had sheltered them. Jesse is the present sheriff of the county Gazette as being written by a gentleman at scared out of the non-performers of duty quents, and collecting such fines as could be aforesaid. And further more, we have the the falls of the Ohio, to his friend in New Having fixed upon a final plan to dodge the ing, that he was the finest looking sheriff and as showing the state of American feel- the court to show cause, if any he had, why Most's livery stable, where he willbe able to furpresession of the mouth of the Mississippi, and knapsack about the lown for twelve mortal hours, and otherwise perform the le-

'Some years ago,' said Jess, thefore I got necessary that every individual exert him- table, and the chief functionary commenced

the examination. . Your name, sir?" The offender placed his hand quickly to

·What is your name?' repeated the ques-"A little fouder," said the wag without replying. 'Name,' shouted the judge.

Taunton, Bristol county *What business do you follow? 'Main street,' said the delinquent. 'Your business?' yelled the officer. Right hand side as you go up. 'How long have you been there?'

'About two miles and a half.'

'How old are you, old fellow?' continued the judge, nervously. "noss carpenter." "What's the matter with your ears?" 'Dr. Scarpie's oil, sometimes.' 'Sometimes Cur'em's ointment.'

·Why don't you answer?" 'Nearly five years.' 'He's deaf as an adder,' remarked the

"Clear the lubber out." 'You are not liable to perform military duto the wag's ear, "I know that," said the fellow coolly.

'His hearing improves,' ventured the ser-'What do you suppose we sit here for?'

"A dollar and a hall a day," said the pris-"He may go, Mr Sergeant." "You can go, said the under officer, pointng to the door.

But our friend took no notice of the or-

'You may go,' yelled the Judge -Is it possible a man can be as deaf as all that?" "I can't say,' said thedelinquent, pretendng not to understand, but I should think." *Go-col' screamed the judge; there's lage and region of country, if you can renothing to pay. I pity the general who has

self at liberty. during his residence in Tauston .- Flag of is in their thoughts and hearts to found.

when he do leave 'cm. Hold him, Cash! can possibly be made by art. - Large plains And stars shined, and pure dew-drops fell year, five hundred and forty young ladies You says its my money, no discounts nor and meadows, without the Jabor of hands, upon its blushing bosom and watched its fainted away on various occasions. More Cash?

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And says its my money, no discounts nor and meadows, without the Jabor of hands, upon its blushing bosom and watched its fainted away on various occasions. More Cash? mer and winter! Cane, which is also good dancing breezes, and they whispered to the of young gentlemen. Forty were caught nourishment for stock, is without bounds! young rose, and it awoke jayous and smill by their aunts and grandmothers; and only The spontaneous production of this counting. Lightly it danced to and fro in all the one had the misfortune to fall on the floor

Then came the ardent sun-god sweeping upon, and was providentially received by an

in the distance, which neither Roger Gray 'I haint? Well, I'll go you these here tirely for the use of the Spaniards? Shall gamboling over the sen, pushing on the nor Wallace had cought. two twenty declars on that branch of the we be bonderen as the children of Israel back, sweeping over hill and dale, by the nor Walface had caught.

*Down! I say—Belch,' continued Wallace, as the dog again sent forth a sharp lace, as the dog again sent forth a sharp well, come down to George Davis's, and is free? Human nature shudders at the ease, and tossing the curl of innecent child-thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought, and despites those who are so mean hood—came tripping along on her errand thought. We can raise twenty thousand troops this ed up, and flung out its ruddy arm as if In side of the Alleghany and Apalachian gratitude to embrace the kind breeze. mountains, and the annual increase of them But she hurried quickly away : her geneby emigration from other parts is from two rous task was performed, yet not without reward-for she soon perceived that a de-We have taken all the goods belonging licious fragrance had been poured on her

Thus true charity-like the breeze which Preparations are now making here (if nee- gathers a fragrance from the humble flower essary) to drive the Spaniards from the set- it refreshes-unconsciously reaps a reward tlements at the mouth of the Mississippi. in the performance of its office of kindness In case we are not countenance and suc- and love, which steals through the heart,

> For the Free Trader. MILWAUKEE, June 13, 1849.

Messrs. Editors :- Deeply am I interested

and flourishing village. Ottawa must soon hea town of very great importance. Will it be less than the Albany of Illinois? From ate in every direction, effecting the pecualary, social, political, and moral welfare of a vast population now dwelling, and hereafter to abide upon your fertile, glorious, and almost boundless prairies. The maxim, "The child is father of the man," cantot perhaps, be more profitably considered than in its application to an infant town rapidly growing into a city of gigantic influences and responsibilities. The early impressions ancient Cyrus; and its wisdom none can doubt. Moral foundations underlie all others. They are primary—they should be so laid as to command the confidence and influence of the wise and good. If, as incidental to such a course, those who prefer to build upon the sand" or dwell in balloons should be repelled, the occasion for rejoicing

will be palpably increased. I hope the good people of Ottawa will make themselves and their town worthy of an excellent name in all the land. It is better to be a Jerusulem than a Sodom .-Every citizen should feel personally jealous for the public order, honer, and morality. Every Christian should hold himself responcible, in no mean degree, that the religion of Ottawa shall be characterized by berty, that self-sacrificing and forbearing spirit which shone so prominently in the bleeding Gaelileean. Happy will it be for your town, it, in its early history, the churchs of Christ shall honor their master and their own high calling. The children of men them. The hallowed influences of his presence and character, cannot safely be dispensed with. They ought to be gloried in and sought after, not despised and reglected. More reasonable would it be to disre-Dec. 4, 1786.

Dear Sir: Politics, which a few months try house—where he discovered some three higher provisions which he has made for gard his temperal mercies upon which we our spiritual natures, and our future well The churches are bound to repre sent Him, and illustrate the excellence of

> not, know their responsibilities, and will to their part towards making your delichtal village as beautiful in Christian morality ad order, as it is comely in its location and Essential to the real prosperity, and the est reputation of a town, are good sthools. Good citizens want, and will have, the best acilities for educating their children. In his age, a thorough education, a vigorous liscipline of the mental powers, is a necesi-

his love. The churches in Ottawa, I doubt

There is no coping with the spirits of he 19th century without an enlarged and cultivated intellect. Dormant mental powers can do nothing. Every thing rushes by them in the cars or upon the telegraph, and they are left alone with nothing to act apon. The rapidity with which everything now moves is the result of aroused, discip-ined intellect; and it those who come after the present generation are to keep up with the train of civilization, their power must be sharpened and polished with the best instrumentalities which can be obtained. The Ottawanns understand tims, I doubt not, and will lay broad and deep foundations for their institutions of learning.

A long and intimate acquaintance with, and a very high appreciation of the char noter and ability of one of your principal teachers, Miss M. Montimen, has induced me to express these thoughts. It is a pleadge, turning round to his subordinates, sure to introduce a friend whose society and influence we know to be valuable Providentially the lot of Miss M. has fallen in your place. She possesses in a remarky,' said the secretary, with his mouth close able degree, the qualifications necessary to establish a Female Institution of Learning. She is competent to make her Academy to Ottawa what the Female Seminaries of Troy, Canandaigua, and Le Roy are to those places-their brightest ornaments. Her enthusiastic love of knowledge for its own sake, her fearless devotion to her own disciplined judgment, her extensive experience in tenching, and her sense of the imnortance of universal education, forbid that he should ever be a mere partisan teacher. Her views are broad and deep, and look to the elevation of woman as woman, to her high and noble sphere of exerting a hallow ed and sanctifying influence upon the world

Happy, I am sure, it will be for your vila regiment like you to command! Show him valuable associate, among you; and if they, the door, major! and our here found him- by the aid, confidence and co-operation of He was never again summoned to train establishment of such an institution as it

Resultiful-very b autiful.-Night kissed | Useful Statistics .- A gentleman who is gentle-men, clar the ring-Cash leaves | Here is a soil richer to appearance than the young rose, and it bent softly to sleep, fond of statistics, states that during the last try surpasses your imagination; consequent loveliness of health and youthful innocence. She however, picked out a soft place to fall

The head cannot long act the part of the